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KARNATAKA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Friday 7th March, 1975/Phalguna 16, 1896 S.E.

The House met in the Assembly Chamber, Vidhana Soukha, at One of the Clock.

MADAM SPEAKER (SMT. K. S. NAGARATHNAMMA) in the Chair.

STARRED QUESTIONS

(to which oral answers were given)

*Multipurpose Health Workers and Rural Health Co-operatives*

315. SRI PRABHAKAR TELKAR (Kalagi).—Will the Minister for Health be pleased to state:—

(a) whether the Government is considering to create a cadre of Multipurpose workers under the Health Department as envisaged by the Central Government ;

(b) if so, when this cadre will be created?

SRI H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Health).—

(a) Yes.

(b) By the latter part of 1975 depending upon the Government of India's acceptance to meet the marginal adjustment in pay etc.

SRI PRABHAKAR TELKAR.—May I know what are the salient features of the Multipurpose workers in the Health Department?

† SRI H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—It is a new Scheme. The salient features are in ten Districts which are wholly under Malaria Maintenance phase and wherein the smallpox is effectively controlled. These Districts are (1) Bangalore (2) Kolar (3) Shimoga (4) Mandya, (5) Mysore (6) Coorg (7) Mangalore (South Kanara) (8) Dharwar (9) Belgaum and (10) Karwar.

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† Indicates that the remarks or speeches have not been revised by the member concerned.

In the second phase there are four Districts which are under Malaria Maintenance phase where Malaria is still in existence and Small-pox is effectively controlled. These Districts are (1) Chitradurga (2) Tumkur (3) Chikmagalur (4) Hassan.

In the third phase there are five Districts which are under non maintenance phase, namely, (1) Bidar (2) Gulbarga (3) Raichur (4) Bellary (5) Bijapur.

In this connection the key trainers of Regional Family Planning Training Centres of Hubli and Bangalore Health Training Centre, Ramanagaram, and Orientation Training Centre. Mandya are trained at the Central Health Education Bureau, New Delhi. The District level Officers of the 14 Districts which are in Malaria Maintenance phase were trained at Gandhigram Institute of Rural Health and Family Planning and Family planning Research and Training Centre, Bombay. The Primary Health Centres staff namely, Medical Officer of Health Block Extension Educators and Supervisors are undergoing training at Health and Family Planning Training Centres in the State. The training of Field staff will commence by the middle of 1975 and the scheme will be implemented subsequently.

SRI PRABHAKAR TELKAR.—In answer to (b) it is stated that this cadre will be created when the Government of India accopts to meet the marginal adjustment in pay etc. May I know when this scheme will be put into operation?

SRI H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—The scheme is only very recently conceived in the year 1974. I hope to put it into practice in 1975. Regarding the cadre, pay and all these things, they want to take decision as expeditiously as possible and see an uniform pay scales are prescribed.

SRI M. S. KRISHNAN.—Does it meant financial implication as far as the State is concerned, and if so how much?

SRI H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—It is only a marginal and the rest of it will be met by Government of India.

SRI M. S. KRISHNAN.—May I know what would be the marginal expenditure?

SRI H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—I want notice.

#### *Appointment of Primary School Teachers*

\*358. SRIMATHI RADHA BHATT (Ankola).—Will the Minister for Education be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of Government Primary Schools now running in North Kanara District and the number of teachers working there;